IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

TANIGUCHI

Art Unit: 2816

Application No. 09/777,897

Examiner: L. Nguyen

Filed: February 7, 2001

Atty. Docket No. 100353-00039

For:

DELAY TIME ADJUSTING METHOD OF DELAYING A PHASE OF AN OUTPUT SIGNAL UNTIL A PHASE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN AN INPUT SIGNAL AND THE OUTPUT SIGNAL BECOMES AN INTEGRAL NUMBER OF PERIODS OTHER

THAN ZERO

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

June 19, 2002

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2002, for two (2) months from May 11, 2002 to July 11, 2002.

Enclosed please find a check in the amount of Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00) to cover the cost of the extension. In the event that any additional fees are required with respect to this paper, please charge Counsel's Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referring to client-matter number 100353-00039.

Respectfully submitted,

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